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$\frac{\text{REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION AND RESPONSE TO ADVISORY}}{\text{ACTION}}$

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Dear Sir:

The present paper is submitted in response to the Advisory Action dated May 12, 2008 and is accompanied by a request for continued examination and a request for a two-month extension of time.

A Listing of the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

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